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Reference number 4 refers to a control unit; 7 to a specified value storing memory; 8 to a timer. The control unit 4 determines if the printer 2 is currently on a printing operation or not at S5 of Fig. 1. If so, the step returns to S1. If not, the step shifts to S5. At S6, the control unit 4 investigates printing data that are stored in RAM 6, based on the program stored in ROM 5. The process is indicated in Fig. 3. The specified value storing memory 7 is a means for storing a specified value (time) used for obtaining a printing completing time when a priority value P is estimated. The timer 8 is used for checking the current time by the control unit 4.

-----Original Message-----

**From:** Grant, Jerome  
**Sent:** Tuesday, May 23, 2006 11:04 PM  
**To:** Morohashi, Chisato  
**Subject:** Interpretation of JP 09-054664  
**Importance:** High

I need help with an interpretation of a Japanese reference. The publication number is 09-054664 and the date of publication of the application is February 25, 1997. The inventor is Aihara Satoshi

If you look at figure 5, I need to know what elements 4, 7 and 8 are and what their general function is.

I won't be in the office until late but if you can give me this by an e-mail it would be greatly appreciated.